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FOR ELECTRO-OPTICAL APPARATUS, ELECTRO-OPTICAL APPARATUS,  
AND ELECTRONIC APPARATUS

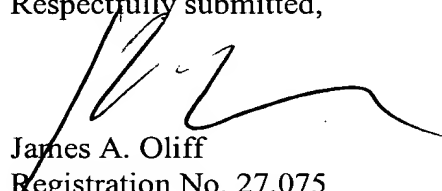
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